

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

FOREIGN VISIT – Visit of Sri Bhanwar Lal, I.A.S., Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh to Sri Lanka from 02.01.2015 to 11.01.2015 - Permission accorded – Orders - Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.E) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 4129

Dated: 23.12.2014  
Read the following:

From the Director, Election Commission of India, New Delhi, Letter No.  
591/90/ICS/2014/PEMBoSA Election Observation, dated: 10.12.2014.

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ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Election Commission of India, New Delhi have intimated that the Commission have nominated Sri Bhanwar Lal, I.A.S., Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh and two other CEOs as International Observers for the 4<sup>th</sup> Stage of Presidential elections 2015 of Sri Lanka at the request of the Chairperson of the Forum of Election Management Bodies of South Asia and requested to accord permission to the Chief Electoral Officer for the said tour.

2. Accordingly, Government hereby accord permission to Sri Bhanwar Lal, I.A.S., Chief Electoral Officer, Andhra Pradesh to visit Sri Lanka from 01.01.2015 to 11.01.2015 (excluding journey period) as International Observer for the 4<sup>th</sup> Stage of Presidential elections, 2015 of Sri Lanka. The expenditure on the above tour viz., cost of economy-class international air-fare, hotel accommodation and internal transport will be borne by the Department of Elections, Sri Lanka. The expenditure if any, excluding the above mentioned expenses, that may arise, in connection with the above visit, shall be met from the funds of General Administration (Elections) Department, under relevant head of Account.

3. The period of absence of the Member of Service in connection with the above visit shall be treated as on duty, during which he will draw his Grade Pay and allowances which he would have drawn but for his visit to Sri Lanka.

4. The Member of service shall submit a report of the visit to the Election Commission of India, New Delhi/General Administration (SC.E) Department and also a copy to the General Administration (SC.A) Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh within one week.

5. The General Administration (SC.A) Department are requested to make necessary arrangements to the post held by the Member of Service during his above visit.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RAJESHWAR TIWARI  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (POLL)

To

Sri Bhanwar Lal, I.A.S., Chief Electoral Officer,  
General Administration Department, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.  
The General Administration (SC.A) Department.  
The Director, Election Commission of India, New Delhi.

**Copy to:**

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi.  
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Finance,  
Department of Economic Affairs (M.I. Division), New Delhi.  
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Hyderabad.  
The Finance Department.  
The Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.  
The E.A. to Chief Secretary to Government and Deputy Secretary, GAD  
The P.Ss to Prl. Secy to CM/CS/Prl. Secy (Poll) GAD.  
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